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Filed: **December 26, 2002**
Inventor: **Frerking et al.**
Title: **System and Method for Providing Flexible Data Rate Transmission in a Telecommunication System**

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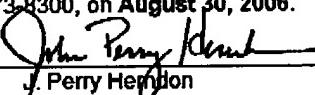
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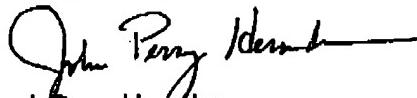
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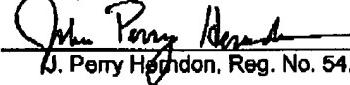
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J. Perry Herndon, Reg. No. 54,706AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO EX PARTE QUAYLE ACTION

Sir:

In response to the Ex Parte Quayle Action dated August 1, 2006 please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on Page 2 of this Response.

Remarks begin on Page 21 of this Response.